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## LETTER TO OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Attention: Official Draftsperson

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on August 23, 2002, Applicants submit a substitute sheet for Figure 3. The left margins on original Figure 3 were objected to, and the substitute sheet corrects this informality. Approval of the substitute sheet is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 1/25 2002

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application:

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Included with this filing:

- 1. Amendment (9 pages).
- 2. Marked Up Specification and Claims (1 page)
- 3. Letter to Official Draftsperson (1 page) and 1 Replacement Sheet of Drawings.
- 4. Information Disclosure Statement (3 pages)
- 5. Petition to Accept Color Drawings (1 Page)
- 6. Three copies of Figures 2-6 in Color and 1 copy in Black and White.

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